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第12話

THAT DAY, IT WAS ALSO RAINING SINCE MORNING

IF ONE THING WAS DIFFER-ENT THAN USUAL

YORITO HADN'T COME THAT DAY NEITHER

IT HAD BEEN SO LONG SINCE I HAD GONE OUT THAT I WAS QUITE RESTLESS

AONO SAID THAT THE RAIN OF THIS SEASON WAS AN 'AUSPICIOUS RAIN' AND THAT THE TOWN WAS IN CELEBRATION

4 DAYS HAD PASSED
SINCE WE LAST SAW YORITO

第12話

AONO
WAS A CHILD THAT WAS RAISED TO BE A 'SACRIFICE'
AND FOR HER YORITO WAS HER ONLY FAMILY MEMBER
THE ONLY PERSON WHO UNDER-STOOD HER
HER AFFECTION TOWARDS HIM MAY HAD BEEN A LITTLE OVERBOARD
BUT, WE THREE, HAD BEEN LIVING TOGETHER WELL
UNTIL THAT DAY ...
THE 7TH NIGHT SINCE IT HAD STARTED RAINING

WE WENT DOWN THE MOUNTAIN TO FIND OUT ABOUT YORITO
IGNORING THE DANGER OF BEING DISCOV-ERED BY THE VILLAGERS

UNTIL I VERIFY YORITO'S WELL BEING WITH THESE EYE...
UNTIL THE EDGE OF THE TOWN
AONO HOW MUCH FURTHER

THE TOWN!
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AONO ...
MAYBE YORITO ...
IT IS ...
BECAUSE I AM STILL ALIVE ...

AONO! CALM DOWN!
AONO !!
BECAUSE ...
I ARRO-GANTLY KEPT ON LIVING FOR SO LONG!
BECAUSE OF ME A DISASTER!
NOOOOO
WHERE ARE YOU YORITO?!
YORITO!
THAT IS ...
... AH
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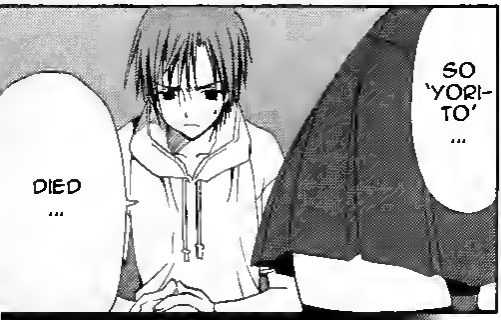
OOOOO


SO 'YORI-TO' ...
DIED ...

AND -
EVEN AFTER ALL THE WATER HAD DRAINED OUT
SHE KEPT ON DIGGING TO FIND YORITO

AONO COULD NOT ACCEPT HIS DEATH
BUT ...

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I …
I WAS AFRAID TO BE LEFT ALONE!
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JUST FOR THAT REASON
I TURNED AONO INTO A YAKA

MAT-SURI
FOR RESCUING NEE-SAN
I AM REALLY THANKFUL
AONO STILL NOW, HATES ME
BUT I DID SUCH A THING ...
HOW?!
IT WAS BECAUSE OF ME THAT AONO BECAME A YAKA ...
BUT THANKS TO 'NEE-SAN' MAKING ME HER 'LITTLE BROTHER' ...
AND THANKS TO THE EXISTENCE OF MORIMIYA YORITO
OF COURSE, IT WAS A PAINFUL CHOICE FOR NEE-SAN
WE WERE ABLE TO MEET EACH OTHER

TRUE
...
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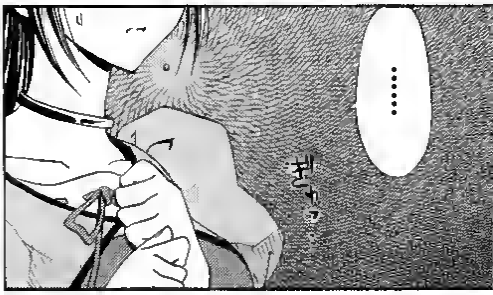
YORITO YOU ARE ...
YORI-TO ...
YUP ...
FROM BEFORE WE LEFT TOWN
YOU KNEW ?!
A MAN MADE EXISTENCE?
NEE-SAN MAY HAD BELIEVED THAT I WOULDN'T KNOW ...
I AM THE ONE WHO KNOWS THE BEST ABOUT MYSELF
A 'DOLL' MADE BY NEE-SAN
THAT I WAS A DOLL
THE MOMENT I SAW THAT I-
I REMEM-BERED EVERY-THING

WAS TOO MUCH FOR AONO
BUT... THE POWER SHE USED BACK THEN

NEE-SAN ...
IS THERE ANY WAY TO ...

IF THIS GOES ON ...
AONO WILL ASO ...

JUST ONLY ONE WAY
THERE IS ONE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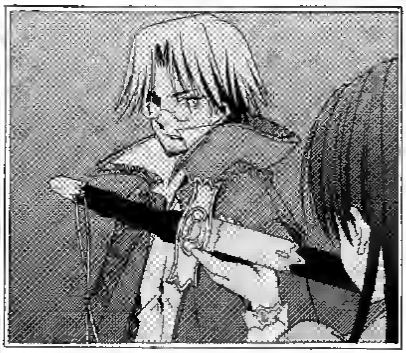

NO MATTER WHAT ...
WOULD YOU BELIEVE ME?
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YES!
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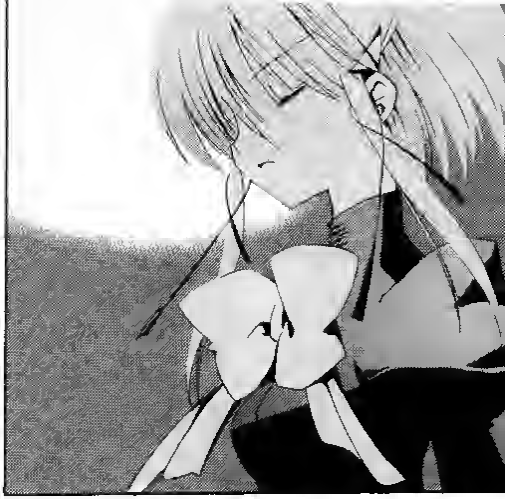
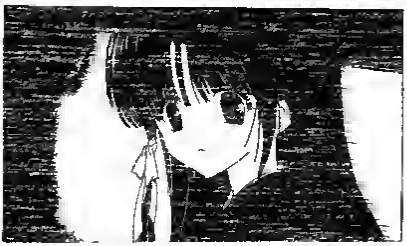
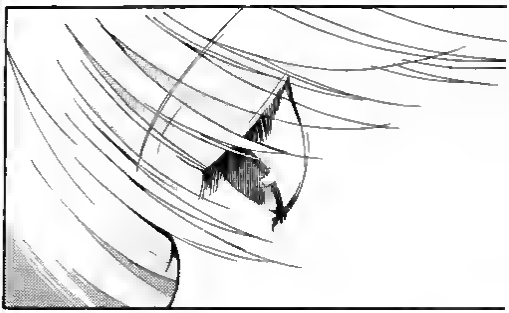
SO...
YOU
CAME







MATSURI!

AONO
YOU ARE WRONG! EVEN IF YOU DO SUCH A THING 'YORITO' WON'T COME BACK!
MATSURI
.....
WHAT DO YOU KNOW?
... I DO KNOW
NEE-SAN!
I WON'T GIVE YORITO TO YOU!

PLEASE LISTEN TO MATSURI!
NEE-SAN!
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NEE-SAN!
MAT-SURI!!

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OUCH
DIE!
MAT-
SURI!

YORITO?!
YORI
...

AND ...
THANK YOU, YORITO ...
GOODBYE